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House Resolution 769

By: Representative Mangham of the 94th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending entrepreneur and author Doreen Carter; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Doreen Carter, the CEO and founder of the Wealth and Wisdom Resource
- 3 Group, is a tireless servant to the community and an esteemed citizen of Georgia; and
- 4 WHEREAS, with clarity and straightforward honesty, Doreen Carter addresses the themes
- 5 of investment and personal finance from a Biblical perspective in her book, The
- 6 Mis-education of the Christian...: On Money and Giving; and
- 7 WHEREAS, many Christians have an ambiguous relationship with money, but Doreen
- 8 Carter's book shows how the scripture, from Genesis to Revelations, does not support the
- 9 idea that money is evil; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Doreen Carter explores more than 2,300 verses of text, presenting a perspective
- on the Bible that encourages Christians to use money intelligently and to reexamine the
- 12 reasons for accumulating and tithing their earnings each week; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Doreen Carter is a former director of stewardship at New Birth Missionary
- 14 Baptist Church and currently lives in Lithonia, Georgia; and
- 15 WHEREAS, she holds a master's degree in accounting, and she began researching the
- material for her book while conducting her studies for a master's degree in theology; and
- 17 WHEREAS, through her writings and through the financial education programs of the
- 18 Wealth and Wisdom Resource Group, Doreen Carter is helping empower countless
- 19 individuals and families throughout Georgia and the United States.

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1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 2 the members of this body recognize Doreen Carter for her extraordinary erudition and tireless
- 3 service to the citizens of this state and extend to her their sincerest best wishes for the future.
- 4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 5 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Doreen Carter.